



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Kazuhiro TOMITA

Group Art Unit: 2817

Application No.: 09/805,103

Examiner: M. Shingleton

Filed: March 14, 2001

Docket No.: 108075-00048

For: DIFFERENTIAL AMPLIFIER HAVING IMPROVED BALANCE AND LINEARITY

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

July 31, 2003

Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Prior to initial examination of the application, please amend the above-identified application as shown on the following pages. In addition, the period for response has been extended by the attached two-month Petition for Extension of Time.

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